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A GRUMBLER.

For him no statesman thinks aright,
No painter charms, no poet glows;
The lily is a shade too white,
Iniquitously red.

And every scheme by which men live
Is valuable and tentative.

Such disapproval he reveals
Of all accepted laws and plans,
One almost famishes that he feels,
Angry at fate's restricting bands,

Because he cannot rule alone.

Some private planet of his own.

P. B. S. PINCHBACK.

We see by the New Orleans
"Daily States," that the Colored
Men's Protective Union of Louisiana
representing a large majority of
the Republican party of that
State, presents in a strongly worded
resolution the name of Hon. P. B.
S. Pinchback as one entitled to
special recognition at the hands of
the next President.

Gov. Pinchback's name is thus
added to that of Douglass, Lang-
ston, Bragg and Greener as a pos-
sible occupant of a position in the
Cabinet of President Garfield.

Where are the Maryland politicians
that they have not brought out
their candidate? Dr. Brown's as-
pirations rarely rise higher than
the petty position of Surveyor of
the Port, and it is about time for
Maryland to name her man. It

won't do any harm, as Gaif Id will
hardly make any such appointment
but it will give the boys a mirthful
thing to do, and enable the lucky gentle-
men to tie their night cap strings
with serener satisfaction when they
retire to rest, to dream of the "Man
of Mentor."

While we have no wish to dis-
parage the claims of the other prom-
inent colored men, we think that if
faithful service to his party, ability
and pluck are any considerations in
the sight of the coming administra-
tion, Gov. Pinchback's claim for
recognition is rather better than
some of the others mentioned. He
has been elected in succession, a
member of the Constitutional Con-
vention of 1868, State Senator,
Lieut. Governor, Congressman from
the State at large, Governor,
United States Senator and member
of the Constitutional Convention of
1880. His memorable contest
for the position of U. S. Senator,
happened while the "conciliatory
policy" was being adopted at the
North, and as a sacrifice was de-
manded to show how complete the
Republican surrender was, Pinch-
back became the scape-goat of the
hour and his rejection was cited by
the Republican journals as a proof
of their earnestness in the new
departure. He was more rightfully
entitled to a seat in the Senate
than some who are there to-day,
and if the Republican party had
imagined then that they would
need votes in the Senate as badly
as they do now, Gov. Pinchback
would have been seated. If the
Republican party at the South
showed any signs of life in the late
campaign, it is largely due to the
man whose voice was heard and
influence exerted at a time when
other men dared not speak or do;
and that voice was heard in behalf
of the party that had treated him
so unjustly. His paper "The Louisi-
anian" is the ablest political colored
journal published, and now that
the era of "gush" has given place
to common sense, we think it is
more than right for a Republican
administration to make atonement
for the injustice done to one of the
bravest and truest of the Southern
Republicans. — Conference Stand-

A REMEDY FOR DIPHTHERIA.—A
lady living in Williamsburg sent
the following remedy for diphtheria
to the Brooklyn board of health
yesterday, adding that she used it
with success with her six children:
Take a slice of fat bacon—side meat
—the older the better; sew it on a
soft piece of flannel; then saturate
with coal (petroleum) oil. Place it
on the neck, having the meat reach
from ear to ear. After pounding
several raw onions into a poultice
place enough of the same into the
patient's stockings to cover the soles
of the feet, and have the patient
put the stockings on. The poultice
must be warm in order not to chill
the patient. The throat should
then be gargled with some tomato
catalpa, strong red pepper, salt
and vinegar, or pepper, salt and
vinegar shaken well together will
do. If the patient is too young to
gargle wet the throat with a few
drops. If vomiting occurs, lime
water purchased at a drug store
with directions should be given. Be
sure to cause an irritation on the
neck.—New York Commercial.

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A HARD CROWD.

The Inter Ocean has labored with
the Southern white people many
years, endeavoring to convince them
that their alliance with Northern
Democrats was a one-sided affair,
in which they furnished the votes
and the money, while the partners
in the North gathered in the sticks
and the offices. When the South
got pressed, and needed help badly,
we have called attention to the fact
that the Northern forces were in
variety found "under the band
wagon" and no threats or coaxing
could get them out.

The gallant brigadiers have no
told this, and now and then
have complained bitterly at the lack
of practical sympathy on the part
of their Northern allies; but they
have gone on in the same old way,
scoring the loud-voiced, but more
complaining, Democracy of the
North, getting in return a great
deal of cheap adulation, and a fair
amount of dirt-eating, but no
strong pull to help them out of the
mire.

The fact is, your Northern
Democratic politician is a very
timid soul. He is burning over
with sympathy for Southern ideas,
and wants them to succeed, but he
is shifty about Northern sentiment,
and never clasps hands with a
brigadier that he does not look anx-
iously around to see if he is noticed,
or put his hand furtively behind his
back to ward off an anticipated kick.

The Inter Ocean has had occa-
sion hitherto to command Mr.
Bragg, of Wisconsin, who, though
a Democrat, has several times de-
nounced certain efforts of the briga-
diers to get their hands into the
Treasury, and has warned them
that they would get their fingers
bitten if they persisted in doing
so. We have never been able, and
we probably never shall be able, to
discover Bragg's consistency, but
we are glad, nevertheless, that he is
strong in this one direction, and is
ready to yell "lick behind" when-
ever any of his associates try to
mount the Treasury wagon and
perch on its highest points.

The opinions expressed by those
high in political places convinces
us that the question of race, its re-
ognition etc., will be the great
problems to be solved by the in-
coming administration.

Our inaction must cease. Real-
ities confront us. The race will be
judged as to its recognition in
councils of prominence, not by
bewildered worded papers and
ter-typed expressions, but
through the practical progress of its
leaders. Large minds must lead the
vanguard and petty jealousies
should not and shall not retard the
advance of a people.

TRICHINÆ.

There have been so many in-

stances reported recently of deaths

caused by trichinæ.

The unfortunate cases of trichinæ
reported by Dr. Tomboek in
the daily papers should com-
mend public attention to the fol-
lowing facts, very briefly stated:

1. The hog infected with trichinæ

has every appearance of vigorous

health. No examination of the

living animal or of the carcass, aside

from microscopic examination of

the muscle, can detect the least evi-
dence of the disease. This state-
ment is made by Mr. H. A. At-
wood, vice president of the State
Microscopic Society, and Professor
W. T. Belfield, who made at my
request, an examination of one
hundred hogs found at the stock
yards in the winter of 1878.

But the Democrat does not stop

with Bragg. It goes in for the
whole mess of Northern Democrats

in the following fashion:

"Owing to the stupidity, mis-
management, and cowardice of Mr.
Bragg's Northern friends the Dem-
ocratic party lost its victory in
1876. Owing to similar causes it
has just suffered another over-
whelming defeat. We of the South

have the entire interval between
1880 and 1884 in which to prepare

The Louisianian.

SATURDAY, FEB. 12, 1881.

Mr. T. Davis, of Miss., is in the city on a visit.

Four night Inspectors have been suspended.

The Ministers from the Shreveport, M. E. Conference arrived during the week.

Knights of Momus will parade on the 24 inst., hope the Boys and Girls will be out.

All the Halls used for dancing purposes have been engaged for the Mardi Gras.

Our young friend Wm. R. Boyd, has resigned his position in Customhouse for other fields.

Camellia Social Club, will give a fancy dress and masquerade ball at Cotrell's Hall, on Wednesday 16th.

Terpsichorean Circle, postponed their party until next Tuesday, on account of inclement weather.

The ball given by the Young Men Hope Benevolent Association, at Viollet Hall, was a financial success.

The sufferings of those who are under water, in the rear of the second and third districts, no pen can depict.

Good Intent Social and Debating Club, will give a fancy dress ball at the Frances-Amis Hall, Sunday, February 20th.

The "Ladies of Mercy" will give a fancy dress and mask ball, at Economy Hall to-night. It promises to be a grand affair.

Hon. T. T. Allain's visit to the city has been prolonged, owing to important business in connection with the Southern University.

The price for ferrying the poor unfortunate in the overflowed district, for two blocks or more is placed at the extortionate rate of 50 cents. Humanity where art thou.

There were over seventy-five persons present at the reception of Wisdom Lodge No. 28, A. A. S. R. on the occasion of Masonic work in English language of the Scottish Rite.

Mr. Fred. Wright, has been appointed to a position in the Customhouse, the people of Terrebonne will thank the Collector for this appointment.

Widow J. J. Nelson was rescued from a very perilous condition on last Wednesday, by a committee appointed from the A. M. E. Conference. Her residence was completely surrounded by water.

Now is the time for charitable disposed Associations to put in practical operation the principles so loudly enunciated by them. There will be plenty room to labor and to do good work in the overflowed districts.

New Orleans is not only cosmopolitan in population, but it seems to be so also in weather. Extreme cold, snow, ice, and days as balmy as spring, and water in over abundance all inside of sixty days.

It is with pleasure that American gentlemen notice the disposition on the part of the creole young ladies to familiarize themselves with the English language. Conversation in the Anglo-Saxon tongue is not unusual in the "elegante soiree" given in the faubourg.

A Grand fancy dress and masquerade ball will be given on Tuesday, February 22nd, at the Economy Hall, by the Pick-Wick B. B. C. for the benefit of their uniform fund, price of admission fifty cents for gentlemen, and twenty-five cents for ladies. The committee on arrangements is composed of energetic young men who will not fail to make the ball a success.

Young and True Friends gave a fancy dress and calico ball at Turner's Hall on Monday last, during the day, they paraded the principal streets and were highly complimented by all who witness the parade. Their entertainment at night was one of the most enjoyable ever given in this city. A very large crowd was in attendance and were well pleased. The entertainment was a success in every way. Mr. Louis Smith, the polite and accomplished floor manager seemed to be ubiquitous and aided much in the enjoyment of the guests. Mr. John Louis also deserves special mention for his extreme gallantry toward the ladies and his attention to the wants of all present.

J. R. Townsend, General Secretary of the Home and Missionary Society in connection with the A. M. E. Church, was in town during the week, in behalf of the Association. His remarks at the St. James Chapel, on Friday night last, was a remarkable showing of the advancement made by the Home and Foreign Missionary Association of the A. M. E. Church,

The A. M. E. Conference, which began its session on Wednesday last, is an interesting body. Bishop Cain is the most dignified presiding officer of an ecclesiastical order seen here. Interesting debates were indulged in at great length with more ordinary ability and decorum. The question of dividing the State into two Conference Districts, elicited a prolonged discussion, which resulted in its rejection by a vote of 17 nays and 14 yeas.

A resolution was adopted providing for a Parochial School, a Board of trustees was appointed to proceed immediately with the establishment of said School. The various committees reported their actions for the Conference at its session last night. The Judiciary committee will make its report to-day. It is intimated that the appointments will be read out to-day, which will necessitate an adjournment to-night. The Bishop has expressed his determination to visit every appointment made in the State during the year. Negotiations are being made looking to the liquidation of the indebtedness of Union Bethel and St. Peter's Churches.

Anniversary of the Young and True Friends.

The Young and True Friends Benevolent Association celebrated their first Anniversary on the 6th inst., with a grand street parade, some interesting ceremonies and enjoyable amusements. The Society, which is composed of 127 members, was organized Feb. 7, 1880, for benevolent and charitable purposes. Its admission fee is \$2.50; it gives to its sick \$2.50 per week, such medicines as may be necessary, the service of a nurse, if its dead. Its principal officers are John Lewis, President; Joseph Faucher, Grand Secretary, and George Geddes, Secretary.

The True Friends assembled at Wesleyan Hall, on Liberty street, where the procession was formed, preceded by the Excelsior Cornet Band under the leadership of Prof. S. S. Dexter. It marched to No. 124, Franklin street, where Miss Flamen Delphit, a comely young creole lady, presented on behalf of the Ladies True Friends Circle, a very pretty silk banner with appropriate remarks which was received by M. L. D. Herbert, on the part of the society, in his usual style.

After the presentation, the young and True Friends, proud of their banner, marched to Central Church, where the Rev. W. D. Alexander blessed the banner and flags after the custom now in vogue. After which they paraded through many of the principal thoroughfares seemingly to the satisfaction of themselves and to the admiration of their friends. Chas. H. Cripe acted as Grand Marshal, and was supported by aids M. C. Oliver, Lewis Carter and Benj. Rice. They were mounted, wore the regulation ashes and wore their insignia of authority with majestic air.

The anniversary ceremonies terminated with a grand ball at Turner Hall in the evening which was crowded by the friends and admirers of this promising organization. Beauty, wit and mirth, blending together in animated intercourse, presented a scene of transparent fairy delight. Without intending to be invidious among so many deserving of mention, it is no disparagement to others to record the buzz of admiration which followed the gallant Captain and La Belle Creole, as they gracefully whirled through the mazes of the waltz. The whole affair was a grand success, and much credit is due to the Young and True Friends for the creditable manner in which the anniversary was celebrated.

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1. That the order of the Postmaster General against the delivery of its mails is rescinded.
2. That this is the only Lottery not declared fraudulent by the Government.

3. That this is the only Lottery ever voted on and endorsed by the people of their state.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The following is Postmaster General Key's letter to the postmasters at New Orleans and New York:

On the 13th day of November, 1879, I issued an order addressed to you forbidding payment of any postal money order to M. A. Dauphin, or M. A. Dauphin, secretary, of M. A. Dauphin, P. O. Box 692 and 392 Broadway, New York, and the sending of all registered letters addressed to you from the postmasters at whose offices they were mailed.

The party having brought suit against me to enjoin the performance of this order, and having appealed the same to the Supreme Court of the United States, and having this day obtained a certificate of the Governor and State officers of the State of Louisiana, that he had complied with all the legal requirements of that State, and other evidence, and not being satisfied from the evidence submitted to me that M. A. Dauphin is engaged in conducting a scheme or device for obtaining money through the mails by means of false and fraudulent pretenses, representations and promises, I hereby advise you to direct the suspension of said order so far as relates to said Dauphin, until the cause shall have been heard and determined by the Supreme Court of the United States.

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CLEANSING AND DISINFECTION OF PREMISES.

The following circular has been issued by the Board of Health:

SANITARY MEASURES TO BE ENFORCED BY THE SANITARY INSPECTORS OF THE CITY OF NEW ORLEANS.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH,
of the State of Louisiana,
State-House, April 22, 1880.

1. House-hold inspectors must be present as rapidly as possible.

2. Order the abatement of all nuisances.

3. Order the emptying and disinfection of all foul privies.

4. Order the periodic disinfection at intervals of no less than seven days of all privies, wells, cisterns, tanks, boxes or barrels, other suitable receptacles, for removal of filth and contagion.

5. Order the cleansing and disinfection of all foul alleys and yards.

6. Enforce the ordinance which compels all citizens to place all garbage and refuse matters of dwellings, hotels, stores, markets, institutions, etc., in boxes or barrels, other suitable receptacles, for removal by the garbage carts.

DISINFECTION.

The Board of Health of the State of Louisiana deem it important that the people should be instructed with regard to the value and importance of disinfection, for the removal of foul gases and emanation and for the destruction of the poisons of disease and contagion.

To accomplish the greatest good for the preservation of the health of the people, disinfection should be practised at regular intervals throughout the entire year; but particularly during the months of May, June, July, August, September and October.

By disinfection and household sanitation, the people should seek to avert or prevent pestilence and should not delay the practice of these important measures, until disease is already manifested by the neglect of the practice of sanitary laws. Every citizen, therefore, by obeying rigidly sanitary laws becomes the guardian of the health of his household.

New Orleans is without severe, and the most necessary, constraint at all times an immense amount of fecal matter. By the most energetic system of removal of the contents of the privies, it is essential that disinfection be used in this hot, moist climate, at regular intervals.

If infection should be born in the soil, it will be borne in the air; however, that if infection should be submitted for want of cleanliness or of ventilation, should be used for the prevention of those putrefactive processes which result in the generation of compounds and agents deleterious to man.

In the selection of disinfectants reliable agents should be secured, which can be purchased in a state of purity, and at so small a cost that they can be used in adequate quantities and at stated intervals.

DISINFECTION OF PRIVIES AND WATER CLOSERES.

For disinfection of privies, cess-pools, water closets and vaults, use the following: Sulphate of iron (green vitriol or copperas) 2 pounds; Calomel (carbolic acid) No. 2, 1 pound; 4 gallons; dissolve the green vitriol in hot water, and when cool add the carbolic acid.

Add one gallon of this mixture to the privy or water closet to be disinfected, and pour in one quart every fifth day, or oftener, if any foul smell is devolved from the privy.

Lime should not be used in the disinfection of privies, as it decomposes the salt of ammonia.

The objection, however, does not apply to the sulphate of lime (plaster of Paris), which may be used with advantage in combination with carbolic acid and copperas.

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